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Town Officers

OFFICERS BIENNIALLY ELECTED

Representative to General Court
WILLIAM K. DAVIS

Moderator
BERNARD I. CHURCHILL

Supervisors of Check List
Thomas F. Bluitte
Raymond Estabrook
Otis R. Rowell

OFFICERS ANNUALLY ELECTED

Town Clerk
William K. Davis

Selectmen

Charles R. Stevens	Term expires March 1944
James A. Marden	Term expires March 1945
Herbert E. Wilbur	Term expires March 1946

Treasurer
Wilbur R. Sargent

Tax Collector
Cecil A. Kimball

Auditors
Kenneth F. Briggs
Kent Walker

Road Commissioner
George L. Cheney

Cemetery Trustees

Winfred A. Snow	Term expires March 1944
William K. Davis	Term expires March 1945
Albert W. Flanders	Term expires March 1946

Trustees of Gale Library

E. Belle Boyd	Term expires March 1944
Pearl R. Davis	Term expires March 1945
Alma B. Mayhew	Term expires March 1946

Trustees of Trust Funds

Winfred A. Snow	Term expires March 1944
E. Belle Boyd	Term expires March 1945
James A. Marden	Term expires March 1946

Constable

Stillman A. Davis

Board of Education

Kenneth F. Briggs	Term expires March 1944
Lillian R. Webster	Term expires March 1945
Amanda Goodwin	Term expires March 1946

Board of Health

Henry L. Burbeck — Herbert E. Wilbur
Charles R. Stevens — James A. Marden

Chief of Police

Stillman A. Davis, Resigned
Raymond Estabrook, Appointed

Dog Officer

Raymond Estabrook

Fire Department Chief Engineer

A. Ralph Estabrook

Fire Wards

Charles R. Stevens — Herbert E. Wilbur
James A. Marden

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber and Measurers of Bark

James A. Marden Charles Illsley

Fence Viewer

Thomas E. Currier

Tree Warden

George L. Cheney

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newton, in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Newton on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To chose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To hear reports of the Town officers and to pass any vote relating thereto.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds or through Old Age Assistance.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $101.37 for Class V assistance in order to receive State Aid of $405.46.

7. On a petition signed by 20 voters to see if the

Town will vote to accept the right of way leading from the black road through Wilder's Grove to the Kingston line and make an appropriation of $500.00 to make repairs on the same.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for Tarvia for Town black roads.

9. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 to purchase fire hose for Fire Dept.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-four.

CHARLES R. STEVENS,
JAMES A. MARDEN,
HERBERT E. WILBUR,
Selectmen of Newton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHARLES R. STEVENS,
JAMES A. MARDEN,
HERBERT E. WILBUR,
Selectmen of Newton.

BUDGET FOR 1944

		Appro. and Credits	Expen-ditures	Unex-pended Bal.	Over-draft	Estimate 1944
Town Officers' Salaries		$1,250.00	$1,240.14	$ 9.86		$1,250.00
Election and registration		75.00	79.00		$ 4.00	250.00
Town Hall expense	$300.00					
Credits	126.00	426.00	689.04		263.04	300.00
General expense		700.00	572.82	127.18		600.00
Libraries		225.00	225.00			225.00
Town poor, direct relief	200.00					
Credits from Harris Fund	99.95	299.95	99.95	200.00		200.00
Old Age Assistance		2,000.00	2,007.40		7.40	2,000.00
Police department		100.00	100.00			100.00
Fire department		750.00	744.95	5.05		850.00
Health department		75.00	78.68		3.68	100.00
Vital statistics		20.00	22.40		2.40	20.00
Street lighting		1,650.00	1,635.90	14.10		1,650.00
Memorial day		10.00	12.20		2.20	15.00
Defense program		150.00	136.42	13.58		150.00
Cemeteries		50.00	62.00		12.00	75.00
Interest		225.00	128.90	96.10		150.00
Snow account	700.00					
Credits	30.00	730.00	796.74		66.74	700.00
			$8,631.54			$8,635.00

Selectmen's Report

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Resident

Land and Buildings	$499,605.00
Horses, 19	1,465.00
Cows, 95	8,235.00
Other Neat Stock, 4	160.00
Goats, 12	120.00
Hogs, 8	120.00
Fowl, 4,970	4,970.00
Boats and Launches, 7	200.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 10	1,040.00
Stock in Trade	8,500.00
Mills and Machinery	1,050.00
	$525,465.00

Non Resident

Land and Buildings	$113,760.00
Electric Plants	13,900.00
Goats, 1	10.00
Cows, 1	50.00
Horses, 1	75.00
Stock in Trade	4,000.00
Mills and Machinery	2,000.00
Wood and Lumber	700.00
	$134,495.00

SOLDIERS' TAXABLE

Land and Buildings	$ 22,350.00
Fowl, 350	350.00
Cows, 10	900.00

Hogs, 4	60.00
Horses, 7	490.00
Mills and Machinery	100.00
	$ 24,250.00

AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATE

Taxes on Property	$ 20,260.58
Taxes on 488 Polls @ $2.00	976.00
Taxes Committed to Collector	$ 21,236.58
Rate $29.60 per M.	

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 1,250.00
General Expense	700.00
Election and Registration	75.00
Town Hall Expense	300.00
Police Department	100.00
Fire Department	750.00
Health Department	75.00
Vital Statistics	20.00
Defense Program	150.00
Street Lighting	1,650.00
Snow Expense	700.00
State Aid Construction	101.28
General Expense Highway Department	1,711.00
County Tax	2,229.05
Town Property	19.30
Interest	225.00
Cemeteries	50.00
Memorial Day	10.00
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00
Libraries	225.00
Direct Relief	200.00
Schools	10,506.50
	$ 23,047.13

Estimated Receipts:		
Interest and Dividend Tax	$ 90.40	
Railroad Tax	345.79	
Savings Bank Tax	9.64	
Motor Vehicle Permits	685.07	
Sale of Property	500.00	
		$ 1,630.90
		$ 21,228.61
Plus Overlay		7.97
Total to Collector		$ 21,236.58

ASSETS

Cash in Hands of Treasurer	$ 2,801.65
Auditing Reserve	219.76
Six Shares Merrimac National Bank Stock	60.00
Uncollected Taxes 1937	127.50
Uncollected Taxes 1939	2.00
Uncollected Taxes 1940	14.00
Uncollected Taxes 1941	18.00
Uncollected Taxes 1942	30.00
Uncollected Taxes 1943	3,890.43
	$ 7,163.34

LIABILITIES

The Exeter Banking Co.	$ 5,000.00

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHARLES R. STEVENS,
JAMES A. MARDEN,
HERBERT E. WILBUR,
Selectmen.

WILBUR R. SARGENT,
Treasurer.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall Land and Buildings	$ 13,000.00
Libraries Land and Buildings	2,000.00
Fire Department, Equipment	5,000.00
Highway Department Land and Buildings	400.00
Highway Department Equipment	1,000.00
Willow Grove Cemetery	500.00
Land at Depot	200.00
Tomb and Highland Cemetery	200.00
Schools, Land and Buildings	15,000.00
Land and Buildings Acquired by Collector's Deeds	
Camp Viola, Fred W. Packard Heirs	400.00
Ida Senter, 2 camps	400.00
Land and Buildings of Mary Gervais	600.00
Ross Lyons, land and buildings	1,600.00
Land of Charles Dart, Est.	100.00
Land of F. B. Morrill	25.00
Wilbur Merrill Property	500.00
Morrill G. Bartlett Heirs	500.00
Dorothea Brandt	200.00

Article 3 of the Will of Emma Gale Harris:

"For the benefit of my native town of Newton, Rockingham County, New Hampshire, I give and bequeath to Harris Trust and Savings Bank, its successor or successors and its or their assigns, the sum of Twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) to be known as the 'Gale Memorial Fund' in memory of my parents, Dr. Jonathan Greeley Gale, who there practiced medicine for forty years, and my mother, Susan Shaw Gale, whose noble character and unselfish love were an inspiration to all who knew her, said fund to be held by my said Trustee upon the following trusts, that is to say:

"From time to time to disburse the net income from said Trust Fund for the benefit of the sick poor of said community, or in any other way which shall accomplish the greatest good for said town, upon the recommendation of the Board of Selectmen of said Town of Newton, subject, however, to the approval of my sons, Hayden Bartlett Harris and Stanley Gale Harris, or the survivors of them."

Report of Town Clerk

DOG LICENSES

1942 amount received	$	7.00
1943 amount received		244.00
Total	$	251.00
Reserved for Fees		19.60
	$	231.40
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	$	231.40
Received for filing fees	$	13.00
Paid, W. R. Sargent, Treasurer		13.00
Received for 1943 Auto Permits	$	685.07
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer		685.07
Total amount paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	$	929.47

COPY OF THE RECORDS OF THE TOWN MEETING
MARCH 9, 1943

Meeting called to order by Moderator Bernard I. Churchill at 9 A. M. and warrant was read.

On motion of Thomas F. Bluitte it was voted the polls be kept open until 6 P. M.

On motion of Thomas F. Bluitte it was voted the business meeting be taken up this evening at 8 P. M., March 9, 1943.

At 6 P. M. the Moderator declared the polls closed and the ballots were counted with the following results.

Town Clerk

William K. Davis 290

Selectmen for Three Years

Hans G. Seel 43
William Foley 63
Herbert E. Wilbur 176
Augustus E. Locke 43

Treasurer

Wilbur R. Sargent 274

Tax Collector

Cecil A. Kimball 290

Auditors

Kenneth F. Briggs 271
Kent Walker 244

Road Commissioner

George L. Cheney 172
Charles L. Bly 157

Cemetery Trustee for Three Years

Albert W. Flanders 267

Trustee of Gale Library for Three Years

Alma B. Mayhew 259

Trustee of Trust Funds for Three Years

James A. Marden 274

Constable

Asbra Harmon 93
Stillman A. Davis 200

William K. Davis, Herbert E. Wilbur, Wilbur R. Sargent, Cecil A. Kimball, George L. Cheney, James A. Marden and Stillman A. Davis were given the oath of office by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Kent Walker and Alma B. Mayhew were given the oath of office by William K. Davis, Justice of the Peace.

George H. Bowen made a motion that those town officers not already elected be appointed by the Selectmen. It was so voted.

Article 2. The Finance Committee recommended that the Budget be accepted as printed in the Town Report. On motion of George H. Bowen it was so voted.

Article 3. The Finance Committee recommended that the reports of the Town Officers be accepted as printed in the Town Report. On motion of George H. Bowen it was so voted.

Article 4. The Finance Committee recommended that the Selectmen be authorized to hire money in anticipation of taxes. On motion of William York it was so voted.

Article 5. The Finance Committee recommended that the Selectmen be authorized to sell the John and Hattie Hunt property and all other property acquired by Tax Collector's deed or through Old Age Assistance. On motion of George H. Bowen it was so voted.

Article 6. The Finance Committee recommended that the Town accept Class V Aid and raise and appropriate $202.56 in order to receive State Aid of $810.23. On motion of Asbra Harmon it was so voted and the money to be spent on the Thornell Road.

Article 7. The Finance Committee recommended the article in regard to a State Audit be passed over. On motion of Asbra Harmon it was so voted.

On motion of Thomas F. Bluitte it was voted that $400.00 of the Highway Commissioner's appropriation be set aside for the purchase of tarvia and in case tarvia was not available this amount be held in reserve.

Meeting adjourned without date at 9:30 P. M.

Recorded truly,

WILLIAM K. DAVIS,
Town Clerk.

A true copy attest—WILLIAM K. DAVIS, Town Clerk,

Newton, N. H., March 23, 1943.

Kenneth F. Briggs, Auditor, qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Collector's Report 1937

— DR. —

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1943 ..... $127.50

— CR. —

Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list $127.50
Uncollected taxes—O'Connor, Maurice $127.50

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1937.

Collector's Report 1939

— DR. —

Uncollected poll tax as of February 1, 1943 ..... $2.00

— CR. —

Total remittance to Treasurer $2.00

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1939.

Collector's Report 1940

— DR. —

Uncollected polls as of February 1, 1943 ..... $16.00

— CR. —

Abatement	$ 2.00	
Uncollected polls	14.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		$16.00

UNCOLLECTED POLLS

Gagne, Lorenzo	$	2.00
Johnson, Mary L.		2.00
Jameson, Clarence		2.00
Kimball, Horace H.		2.00
Pottie, Helen G.		2.00
Walker, Ethel		2.00
Walker, Harry		2.00
	$	14.00

ABATEMENT

Smith, Earl (Moved)	$	2.00

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1940.

Collector's Report 1941

— DR. —

Uncollected polls as of February 1, 1943	$	20.00

— CR. —

Abatement	$	2.00		
Uncollected Polls		18.00		
TOTAL CREDITS			$	20.00

UNCOLLECTED POLLS

Currier, Bertha	$	2.00
Chase, Jane		2.00
Gagne, Lorenzo		2.00
Johnson, Mary L.		2.00
Kimball, Horace H.		2.00
Pottie, Helen G.		2.00
Walker, Ethel		2.00
Walker, Harry		2.00
Rine, Edna		2.00
	$	18.00

ABATEMENT

Gouyer, Henry (Moved)	$	2.00

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1941.

Collector's Report 1942

— DR. —

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1943	$	5,629.20	
Uncollected polls		76.00	
Added polls		10.00	
Interest collected during fiscal year ended January 31, 1944		288.81	
TOTAL DEBITS			$ 6,004.01

— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1944	$	5,889.09	
Discount allowed		.80	
Abatements		84.12	
Uncollected polls		30.00	
TOTAL CREDITS			$ 6,004.01

ADDED POLLS, 1942

Beaupre, Wm. H.	$	2.00
Clapp, Earl		2.00
Osborne, Wilton		2.00
Pheney, Maxine		2.00
Pheney, Roderick		2.00
	$	10.00

UNCOLLECTED POLLS, 1942

Chase, Jane	$	2.00
Bowley, Eurania		2.00

Bly, Jessie	2.00
Currier, Bertha	2.00
Howard, Josephine	2.00
Johnson, Nellie	2.00
Locke, Augustus	2.00
Packer, Corrine	2.00
Parker, Katherine	2.00
Taylor, Geneve	2.00
Westover, Herbert	2.00
Whittier, Ross	2.00
Whittier, Marilyn	2.00
Walker, Ethel	2.00
Walker, Harry	2.00
$	30.00

ABATEMENTS, 1942

Gamon, Scott (Moved) $	2.00
Gamon, Mrs. Scott (Moved)	2.00
Ingalls, Nancy (Moved)	2.00
Kelly, Clarence (Pays in W. Newbury)	2.00
Smith, Anna (Moved)	2.00
Senter, Ida (Gets aid)	2.00
Carrao, Frank (In service)	2.00
Walker, Harold (In service)	2.00
Lorentzen, Wendell (Pays in Conn.)	2.00
McEwen, Martha (Gets Aid)	2.00
Chase, Edith (Moved)	2.00
Chase, Frederick (Moved)	2.00
Goodas, James (Veteran)	2.00
Dart, Chas. (Heirs) (Deeded)	5.87
Gervais, Mary (Deeded)	22.10
Brandt, Dorothea (Deeded)	16.75
Packard, Fred (Heirs) (Deeded)	13.40
$	84.12

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1942.

Collector's Report 1943

— DR. —

Taxes committed to Collector:		
Property and Poll Taxes	$ 21,236.58	
Added Property and Poll Taxes	151.58	
Interest Collected	9.54	
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 21,397.70

— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer	$ 16,915.97	
Discount allowed	441.00	
Abatements	150.30	
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list	3,816.43	
Uncollected polls	74.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		21,397.70

ADDED POLLS AND PROPERTY, 1943

Boyd, Belle	$ 2.00
Caban, Mary	2.00
Davis, Miriam	2.00
Filz, Fred	2.00
Filz, Elizabeth	2.00
Locke, Ruth	2.00
Perkins, Genevieve	2.00
Parrott, Agnes K.	2.00
Wicker, Lillian G.	2.00
Freeman, Helen	2.00
Illsley, Blanche	2.00
Carrier, Mrs.	2.00
Snow, Emma	76.00
Snow, Winifred	2.59
Kimball, Grace	5.55
Kimball, Fred	34.56
Sargent, Richard	8.88
	$ 151.58

ABATEMENTS, 1943

Austin, Charles (Over 70)	$ 2.00
Avery, Alice B. (Moved to Brockton)	2.00
Blake, Florence (Moved to Haverhill)	2.00
Busch, Carl E. (In service)	2.00
Bryer, Clifford (Pays in Saugus)	2.00
Clifford, Nellie (Over 70)	2.00
Cheney, Donald (In service)	2.00
Chase, David (In service)	2.00
Evans, Evelyn (Dead)	2.00
Fowler, John (In service)	2.00
Fegan, Emily (Over 70)	2.00
George, Bessie (Invalid)	2.00
Green, Elden (In service)	2.00
Gale, Howard (In service)	2.00
Ingalls, Lloyd (In service)	2.00
Kennedy, Catherine (Over 70)	2.00
Knowles, Royal J. (In service)	2.00
Kershaw, Walter Jr. (In service)	2.00
Merrifield, Raymond (In service)	2.00
Perreault, Ralph (In service)	2.00
Perkins, LaForrest (In service)	2.00
Rine, Victor (Pays in Boston)	2.00
Senter, Ida (Gets Aid)	2.00
Thompson, Ralph (Veteran)	2.00
Whiting, Isabelle (Pays in Newfields)	2.00
Whiting, Gordon (Veteran)	2.00
Wormwood, Gordon (Lives in Maine)	2.00
Wormwood, Irene (Lives in Maine)	2.00
Bridges, John (Dead)	2.00
Currier, Thomas E. (Over 70)	2.00
Favor, John (Over 70)	2.00
LeBlanc, Staley (In service)	2.00
Lunggren, I. E. (Over 70)	2.00
Lorentzen, Frederick (Over 70)	2.00
Lorentzen, Wendell (Pays in Conn.)	2.00
Moore, Carl (claims residence in New York)	2.00

Storey, Harold (Veteran)	2.00
Stronach, Eben (In service)	2.00
Bower, Claude and Mary	11.10
MacLean, Malcolm	14.80
Gervais, Mary (Deeded)	19.76
Brandt, Dorothea (Deeded)	14.80
Packard, Fred Heirs (Deeded)	11.84
Russell, Arvida (Over 70)	2.00
	$ 150.30

UNCOLLECTED POLLS, 1943

Adams, Herbert	$ 2.00
Bowley, Eurania	2.00
Boyd, Edna	2.00
Bly, Jessie	2.00
Bowen, Edith	2.00
Currier, Bertha	2.00
Courser, Eva	2.00
Clapp, Earl	2.00
Cook, Charles H.	2.00
Denno, Gardner	2.00
Denno, Helen	2.00
Fowler, Arthur	2.00
Gray, Alice M.	2.00
Howard, Josephine	2.00
Hassion, Patrick	2.00
Johnson, Nellie	2.00
Johnson, Mary L.	2.00
Kimball, Horace H.	2.00
Kelly, Ella B.	2.00
Kelly, Everett L.	2.00
Locke, Augustus	2.00
Mills, Clinton	2.00
Packer, Corrine	2.00
Pottie, Helen	2.00
Perreault, Dorothy	2.00
Sanborn, Lowell	2.00
Sanborn, Mrs. Lowell	2.00
Taylor, William	2.00

Taylor, Geneve	2.00
Westover, Herbert	2.00
Whittier, Ross	2.00
Whittier, Marilyn	2.00
Ward, Lulu	2.00
Walker, Harry	2.00
Walker, Ethel	2.00
Jarvis, Virginia	2.00
Chase, Jane	2.00
$	74.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS AS OF JANUARY 31, 1944

	Tax Sale on account of Levy of:					
	1942	1941	1940	1939	1938	1937
— DR. —						
Taxes Sold to Town	$416.10	$201.93	$155.01	$316.07	$14.30	$4.14
12% Interest collected after sale	.45	12.25	19.51	57.17		
Redemption costs		2.50	3.00	2.50		
Total Debits	$416.55	$216.68	$177.52	$375.74	$14.30	$4.14
— CR. —						
Remittances to Treasurer during year	$105.20	$155.46	$ 82.93	$214.44		
Abatements						
Deeded to Town		45.66	53.28	44.16	$14.30	$4.14
Unredeemed at close of year	311.35	15.56	41.31	117.14		
Total Credits	$416.55	$216.68	$177.52	$375.74	$14.30	$4.14

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

	1942	1941	1940	1939
Dart, Elvira, Heirs			$34.10	$30.97
Treadwell, Evalina				86.17
Boucher, Henry			7.21	
Bartlett, Morrill, Heirs		$10.73		
Peaslee, Edmund	$ 4.81	4.83		
Bowley, Charles E.	110.40			
Lewis, James & Phyllis	38.97			
MacMillan, Ansell & Olive	82.54			
Malvers, Helen D.	19.72			
Thornell, Charles	21.45			
Anderson, Charles V.	28.31			
Mass. N. E. St. R.R.	5.15			
	$311.35	$15.56	$41.31	$117.14

Treasurer's Report

Receipts:	
Wilbur R. Sargent, 1942 Treasurer	$ 4,984.18
Cecil A. Kimball, 1939 Tax Collector	2.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1942 Tax Collector	5,889.09
Cecil A. Kimball, 1943 Tax Collector	16,915.97
Cecil A. Kimball, Redeemed Taxes received during 1943	558.03
William K. Davis, Town Clerk:	
1943 Auto Permits	685.07
1943 Dog Licenses	224.80
1942 Dog Licenses	6.60
1943 Filing Fees	13.00
Selectmen	7,445.01
Total Receipts	$ 36,723.75
Paid:	
200 orders drawn by Selectmen	33,922.10
February 1, 1944, Balance	$ 2,801.65
Also on hand:	
Auditing reserve, Exeter Banking Co.	$ 219.76

6 shares Merrimac National Bank Stock.

WILBUR R. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Received by 1939 Tax Collector	$ 2.00
Received by 1942 Tax Collector	5,889.09
Received by 1943 Tax Collector	16,915.97
Received by 1939 Tax Collector, Redeemed	214.44
Received by 1940 Tax Collector, Redeemed	82.93
Received by 1941 Tax Collector, Redeemed	155.46
Received by 1942 Tax Collector, Redeemed	105.20
Received by Town Clerk	929.57
Received by 1942 Town Treasurer	4,984.18
Received by Selectmen	7,445.01
	$ 36,723.85

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 1,240.14	
General Expense	572.82	
Election and Registration	79.00	
Town Hall Expense	689.04	
		2,581.00

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Dept.	$ 100.00	
Fire Dept.	744.95	
Forest Fires	72.85	
		917.80

Health and Sanitation

Health Dept.	$ 78.68	
Vital Statistics	22.40	
		101.08

Highways and Bridges

Class V Construction	$ 101.28

Street Lighting	1,635.90	
Town Maintenance	1,693.55	
Snow Bills	846.74	
		4,277.47

Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day Flags	$ 12.20	12.20

Public Service Enterprises

Libraries	$ 225.00	
Cemeteries	62.00	
		287.00

Unclassified

Abatements and Refunds		
Taxes Bought	$ 416.10	
Defense Program	136.42	
		652.52

Interest

Interest	$ 78.90	78.90

Town and County Poor

Direct Relief	$ 99.95	
Old Age Assistance	2,007.40	
		2,107.35

Other Government Div.

Schools	$ 10,506.50	
County Tax	2,229.05	
		12,735.55

Indebtedness

Exeter Banking Co.	$ 5,000.00	5,000.00

Bounty

Porcupine	$ .50	.50
Total		$ 38,532.88

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Received by Collector		$ 23,165.09
Received by Clerk		929.57
Received by Treasurer		4,445.01
Received by Selectmen:		
Exeter Banking Co.	$ 5,000.00	
Harris Trust & Savings Co.	99.95	
Interest and Dividend Tax	90.40	
Savings Bank Tax	9.64	
Railroad Tax	345.79	
Making Deed	1.25	
Tappan Shop	500.00	
Hattie Hunt Property	1,080.00	
Rent of Town Hall	126.00	
Received on Hospital Case	31.00	
Sale of Sewing Machines	30.00	
Use of Telephone	13.25	
Victory Tax	9.23	
Dividend on Merrimac Nat. Bank Shares	2.40	
B. & M. R.R. Forest Fire	72.85	
Revolver Permits	3.25	
Town of So. Hampton, Plowing Snow	30.00	
		$ 35,984.68

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Kenneth Briggs, Auditor	$ 18.00
Kent Walker, Auditor	18.00
Charles R. Stevens, Selectman	250.00
James A. Marden, Selectman	125.00
Herbert E. Wilbur, Selectman	100.00
Robert L. Prescott, Relief Agent	150.00
Wilbur R. Sargent, Treasurer	110.00
William K. Davis, Clerk	100.00

Cecil A. Kimball, Collector	319.14	
A. Ralph Estabrook, Fire Chief	50.00	
		$ 1,240.14

General Expense

Alice Wilder, stamps	$ 17.40	
Telephone	29.65	
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	19.78	
Wm. K. Davis, workman's liability insurance	92.70	
Amesbury Pub. Co., town reports	149.60	
Wm. K. Davis, bonding town officers	91.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., supplies	5.15	
John W. A. Green, deed and records	21.40	
John J. Allen, supplies	1.30	
Shaw Printing Service, tax bills	17.00	
F. B. Keene, badges, etc.	15.97	
Winfred Snow, trust funds	12.50	
Wm. K. Davis, auto permits	77.50	
Wm. K. Davis, reference book	1.00	
Wm. K. Davis, making deed	1.50	
Rockingham Farmers Ins. Co.	3.75	
Kenneth Briggs, stamps	1.62	
Cecil Kimball, stamps and making deeds	14.00	
		$ 572.82

Election and Registration

Bernard Churchill	$ 10.00	
Raymond Estabrook	15.00	
Thomas Bluitte	15.00	
Otis Rowell	15.00	
George Bowen	4.00	
Frank Austin	4.00	
George Rowe	4.00	
Thomas Locke	4.00	
Amesbury Publishing Co., ballots	8.00	
		79.00

Town Hall Expense

H. E. Tuck & Son, keys	$	.75	
Exeter & Hampton Elec. Light Co.		27.68	
F. B. Keene, electric light bulbs		3.28	
W. J. Morrison, electric light bulbs		.38	
R. P. Blake Co., shades		3.00	
Edmond Whittier, janitor		102.00	
George A. Bean, lawn mower repairs		3.75	
Hayden E. Cheney, coal		42.42	
Joseph M. Toste, cable for clock		4.00	
Joseph Hoyt, hauling to dump		3.20	
Chas. Stevens, labor		1.20	
Richard Sargent, slabs		10.00	
H. H. Gove, topping chimney		81.60	
Marston Insurance Agency		100.67	
Wm. K. Davis, insurance, Town Hall		301.11	
Joseph Hoyt, sawing slabs, etc.		4.00	
			689.04

Fire Department

Eureka Fire Hose Co.	$	195.00	
W. S. Darley & Co., fire hose		148.00	
Storage		100.00	
Gas, oil, acid, etc.		63.85	
Wm. K. Davis, insurance		37.00	
Marston Agency, insurance		29.85	
Battery		14.75	
Booster tank for Reo		50.00	
Men fighting fires		75.00	
R. Sargent, lumber		13.50	
Tel. extension, etc.		18.00	
			744.95

Forest Fires

Forest Fire on Cheney lot	$	72.85	72.85

Health Department

Cleaning dump	$	38.00	
Garbage disposal, Wilder Grove		30.00	

Henry Burbeck, expense on milk		1.21	
Henry Burbeck, services, 9 hours		4.50	
Henry Burbeck, milk samples		.55	
Henry Burbeck, transportation		4.00	
Henry Burbeck, postage on reports, etc.		.42	
			78.68

Vital Statistics

Byron O. Waterman	$	.50	
Frank B. Nay		.90	
William K. Davis		21.00	
			22.40

Class V Construction

State of New Hampshire	$	101.28	101.28

Street Lighting

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	$	1,635.90	1,635.90

Town Maintenance

George L. Cheney, payrolls	$	1,693.55	1,693.55

Snow Account

William K. Davis, insurance	$	11.80	
Mac's Groceries		3.37	
George L. Cheney, payrolls		781.57	
			796.74

Memorial Day

Mitchell & Co., flags	$	7.20	
Gertrude Ingalls, wreath		5.00	
			12.20

Libraries

Pearl R. Davis	$	5.00	
Alma B. Mayhew		3.50	
E. Belle Boyd		216.50	
			225.00

Cemeteries

Elmer H. Kelly	$ 26.80	
William H. Smith	25.00	
William H. Butler	5.20	
Albert W. Flanders	5.00	
		62.00

Abatements and Refunds

Abatements	150.30	
Refunds	32.25	
		182.55

Taxes Bought

Cecil A. Kimball, collector	$ 416.10	416.10

John and Hattie Hunt Property Adm.

John W. Perkins	$ 19.30	19.30

Defense Program

Town of Kingston, look out station	$ 114.00	
Dena M. Baker, Red Cross blankets	20.92	
Frank Blair, rehanging Service flag	1.50	
		136.42

Interest

Exeter Banking Co.	$ 128.90	128.90

Direct Relief

Lloyd M. Currier, oil	$ 16.37	
Robert S. Prescott, trip to Pembroke, N. H.	4.10	
Robert S. Prescott, tramps to Exeter, N. H.	.81	
Rockingham Farmers Ins. Co.	4.97	
The Marston Agency, insurance	10.50	
Hayden E. Cheney, groceries	48.32	
Raymond Estabrook	14.88	
		99.95

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	$ 2,007.40	2,007.40

Schools

Otis R. Rowell, School Treas.	$ 10,506.50	
Otis R. Rowell, School Treas. (1941 and 1942 Dog Tax)	215.10	
E. W. Roberts, chickens killed by dogs	10.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co., dog tags	5.10	
Raymond Estabrook, dogs killed and buried	12.00	
		10,748.70

County Taxes

Earl R. Stockbridge, County Treas.	$ 2,229.05	2,229.05

Indebtedness

Exeter Banking Co.	$ 5,000.00	5,000.00
		$ 29,005.92

Highway Agent's Report for 1943

George L. Cheney	$ 200.70
George L. Cheney and truck	315.50
Joseph C. Hoyt	53.40
Joseph C. Hoyt and truck	100.00
Charles R. Stevens	178.50
Richard Blake	1.80
George Bowen	19.20
Richard Whittier	6.60
Stillman Davis	18.00
Alvin Collins	120.00
Loren Merritt	42.30
Penry Richards	10.50
Fred Kimball	24.00
Scott Parker	9.60
Vernon Marden	8.70
Warren Fitzgerald	3.00
Richard Page	3.00
William Davis	4.80
Robert Houle	3.00
Hayden E. Cheney, 3 shovels	6.00
Davis Hardware, iron rake and scythe snath	3.70
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tarvia	543.77
Henry Lay, sand	6.00
Sears Roebuck, Stilson wrench	4.28
Sargent Bros., gravel	7.20
	$ 1,693.55

GEORGE L. CHENEY,
Highway Agent.

SNOW ACCOUNT 1943 AND 1944

George L. Cheney	$	115.20
George L. Cheney and truck		77.00
Thomas Watkins and truck		285.00
Joseph C. Hoyt		84.60
Joseph C. Hoyt and truck		108.90
Earle Clapp		48.60
Penry Richards		3.60
Richard Whittier		6.60
Richard Blake		2.40
Charles Stevens		4.88
William Moisan, Jr.		4.20
William Butler		1.20
Ira Downing		1.00
Alvin Collins		8.40
Grover Peaslee		9.60
W. A. Snow		.60
Henry Lay, sand		4.20
Hayden Cheney, 1 ton coal tractor house		15.29
Davis Hardware Co., stove pipe		.30
	$	781.57

GEORGE L. CHENEY,
Highway Agent.

CLASS V THORNELL ROAD

George L. Cheney	$	50.40
George L. Cheney and truck		72.00
Joseph C. Hoyt and truck		96.00
Charles Stevens		43.20
Vernon Marden		36.00
Robert Houle		36.00
Robert Page		36.00
Elwin Collins		43.20
Loran Merritt		43.20
Fred Kimball		31.20
Charles H. Stukas, gravel		18.00
	$	505.20

GEORGE L. CHENEY,
Highway Agent.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1944

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year	Income During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
Jan. 20, 1903	For care of Sarah M. Carter lot in Union Cemetery, fund created by will of Sarah M. Carter	Exeter Banking Co.	$ 100.00	$ 18.05	$ 2.37		$ 20.42
Jan. 1, 1910	For the care of the Fogg lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Rachael Fogg, widow of Orrin Fogg	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	34.34	2.69	$ 1.50	35.53
Aug. 23, 1913	For the care of the Albert Lewis lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Lewis.	Amesbury Savings	100.00	39.53	3.50	1.50	41.53
Feb. 16, 1915	For the care of the Richard Hamor lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Annie Dalton.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	14.05	2.29	1.50	14.84
July 17, 1916	For the care of the Geo. F. Battles lot, Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Battles	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	10.95	2.22	1.50	11.67
Dec. 12, 1916	For the care of the Blore lot, in the Town Cemetery, fund created by will of Fanny Blore.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	14.48	2.29		16.77
July 3, 1919	For the care of the James C. Bartlett lot in Highland Cemetery fund created by Mrs. Lizzie Moers.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	14.08	2.29	1.50	14.87
Oct. 10, 1919	For the care of the Wilson lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Levi Wilson.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	38.94	2.78		41.72

Aug. 4, 1920	For the care of the Hannah C. Moulton lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by 1st Christian Church, Newton, N. H.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	31.67	2.63	1.50	32.80
Feb. 25, 1921	For the care of the M. E. Hoyt lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by the will of Mrs. M. E. Hoyt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	40.26	2.81		43.07
Mar. 22, 1921	For the purchase of books for the Gale Library of Newton, "Income only to be used," created by will of Mrs. Z. E. Axtell, to be known as the "Axtell fund."	Exeter Banking Co.	500.00	30.75	10.66		41.41
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Geo. W. Marston lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	42.27	2.85	1.50	43.62
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Nathan Gould lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	27.55	2.55	1.50	28.60
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Samuel Gould lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	36.83	2.74		39.57
Jan. 31, 1922	For the care of the John R. Harvey lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of said Harvey.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	12.95	2.26	1.50	13.71
Oct. 24, 1922	For the care of the Bates-Peck lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Etta Peck-Bates.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	7.51	2.15	1.50	8.16
Aug. 28, 1923	For the care of the T. W. Bagley lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by daughter of T. W. Bagley	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	13.70	2.27	1.50	14.47
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Shaw lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	11.08	2.23	1.50	11.81

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year	Income During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Shaw lot in Willow Grove Cemetery, Newton (Junction), fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	40.33	2.81	1.50	41.64
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Julia Cilly lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Josie Leavitt, daughter of Mrs. Cilly	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	14.22	2.29	1.50	15.01
Nov. 24, 1924	For the care of the Haynes lot in Highland Cemetery fund created by J. E. Haynes.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	8.08	2.17	1.50	8.75
Dec. 24, 1924	For the worthy poor of Newton Junction, N. H. by terms of will of Annie Dalton. Known as the Johanna Dalton Fund.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	159.38	23.29		182.67
June 3, 1926	For the care of the Story lot in Town Cemetery, fund created by will of his son, Henry Story.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	12.76	2.25		15.01
Feb. 1, 1927	For the care of the A. P. Brewer lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mrs. A. P. Brewer	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	9.19	2.19	1.50	9.88
Mar. 2, 1928	For the care of the B. F. Wakefield lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mr. B. F. Wakefield	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.59	2.13	1.50	7.22
Feb. 20, 1930	For the care of the I. M. Heath lot in Highland Cemetery. Fund created by will of said Heath.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	8.40	2.17	1.50	9.07

Nov. 19, 1930	For care of the D. F. Battles lot in the Highland Cemetery. Fund created by will of Etta Battles	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	8.31	2.17	1.50	8.98
Oct. 22, 1931	For care of Joseph Hoitt lot in Old Town Cemetery, fund created by Edward Hoitt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	11.00	2.23		13.23
Nov. 24, 1931	For care of Mary J. Estes lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mary J. Estes.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.14	2.05	1.50	2.69
May 3, 1934	For care of the Joseph C. Badger lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by W. C. Badger.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.95	2.14	1.50	7.59
July 21, 1934	By will of Etta E. Sawyer. Income for the general improvement and development of Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	21.98	20.53	14.00	28.51
July 21, 1934	By will of Etta E. Sawyer. Income for perpetual care of the A. J. and Fred E. Sawyer lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	28.61	4.58	1.50	31.69
Nov. 1, 1934	In memory of Charles A. Boswell to be known as the "Al Boswell" fund, the income only to be used for repairs or improvements on Newton Town Hall. Created by Carrie A. Boswell, his wife.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	216.78	24.44		241.22
June 8, 1936	Care Samuel B. Hayford lot, Highland Cemetery. Created by his niece Mrs. John G. Rowe.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	3.94	2.07	1.50	4.51
Jan. 16, 1937	Hannah Carter Flanders Fund. Old Town Cemetery. Created by will of Louise O. Twombly.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.20	2.13		8.33
June 29, 1937	Care of Sarah F. Carter lot, Highland Cemetery. Created by will of Sarah F. Carter.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.77	2.03	1.50	2.30
July 24, 1937	George Fund. In memory of Everett George. For care of Everett and Ezra N. George lot in Willow Grove Cemetery. Created by Mrs. Everett George.	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	4.87	4.10	3.20	5.77

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year	Income During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
July 24, 1937	Crosby Fund, for care of Chas. C. Crosby lot in Willow Grove Cemetery, in memory of Mary J. Crosby, created by Mary J. Crosby.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.40	2.05	1.50	2.95
July 24, 1937	Wm. Dunn Fund, for care of Wm. Dunn lot in Highland Cemetery, created by Mrs. Arnold F. Ingalls and Mrs. F. E. Leavitt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.87	2.05	1.50	3.42
Sept. 4, 1937	Chas. A. Fowler Fund, for the care of the Chas. A. Fowler lot in Highland Cemetery, created by will of Chas. A. Fowler.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.65	2.05	1.50	3.20
Sept. 4, 1937	Abel Fowler Fund, for care of Abel Fowler lot in Highland Cemetery, created by will of Chas. A. Fowler.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.65	2.05	1.50	3.20
Oct. 15, 1937	Wentworth Fund, for care of Lowell M. Wentworth lot in Highland Cemetery, created by Fred E. Wentworth.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.20	2.05	1.50	2.75
Nov. 17, 1937	Clara Emily Wilder Fund, for the care of the Arthur Wilder lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.98	2.03	1.50	2.51
Nov. 17, 1937	Carrie A. Boswell Fund, for the care of C. A. Boswell lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.98	2.03	1.50	2.51

June 13, 1938	Alice Magoon Fund. For care of the Alice Magoon lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by her son Al Magoon.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.57	2.05	1.50	3.12
Nov. 30, 1938	Frank H. Ball Fund. For care of the Frank H. Ball lot in Highland cemetery. Created by Lydia Dugdale.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.47	2.03	1.50	2.00
Nov. 10, 1938	John A. Gale Fund. Income to be used for repairs and improvements of the "Gale Library." Created by John A. Gale.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	61.51	21.33		82.84
Nov. 10, 1938	Lovering Fund. Income to be used for repairs and improvements of the "Gale Library." Created by Nathaniel Lovering.	Exeter Banking Co.	350.00	21.51	7.46		28.97
Jan. 9, 1939	Willow Grove Cemetery Fund. Income for improvement of Willow Tree Cemetery, Newton Junction, N. H. Created by sale of lots in cemeteries by vote of Town Meeting, Mar. 8. 1938.	Exeter Banking Co.	30.00	1.00	.62		1.62
May 4, 1940	James Carey Fund for care of Patrick Carey lot in Highland cemetery, created by will of James Carey	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.36	2.05	1.50	2.91
Nov. 26, 1940	Sargent Fund for care of lot in Highland cemetery, created by the children of Alvah W. and Mary W. Sargent	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.23	2.09	1.50	4.82
Nov. 26, 1940	Chase Fund for care of the old Chase burial lot, created by will of Harlan Chase	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.23	2.09		6.32
Dec. 12, 1941	Walter H. Gould Fund for care of lot in Highland Cemetery created by will of Abbie L. Gould	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.01	2.05	1.50	2.56

TOTALS

Number of Funds	53
Amount of Principal	$9,680.00
Balance Income Jan. 31, 1943	1,128.11
Income During Year	217.43
Expenditures During Year	71.20
Balance Income On Hand Jan. 31, 1944	1,274.34

CASH RECEIPTS

Amesbury Savings	$ 1.50
Exeter Banking Co.	69.70
	$71.20

DISBURSEMENTS FOR LABOR

Albert W. Flanders	$65.00	
William Butler	6.20	
		$71.20

WINFRED A. SNOW,
E. BELLE BOYD,
JAMES MARDEN,
Trustees of Trust Funds,
Town of Newton, N. H.

Auditors' Report

Newton, N. H., Feb. 14, 1944.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, and Treasurer of Gale Library Trustees, and find them correctly cast and proper vouchers for all disbursements.

We find the Town Officers above named properly bonded.

KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
KENT WALKER,
Auditors.

Newton, N. H., Feb. 11, 1944.

We hereby certify that we have examined this day the accounts of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of said town, that said Trustees have exhibited to us all the securities held by them, as above stated together with a detailed statement thereof, and the particular trust to which they belong, with a statement of the receipts and expenditures with proper vouchers as required by Section 3, Chapter 162, of the Laws of 1915, and the amendments thereof.

We find the Trustees of the Trust Funds properly bonded.

KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
KENT WALKER,
Auditors

Report of Treasurer of Gale Library

CASH RECEIVED

Feb. 1, 1943—Balance on Hand	$	71.36
Received from W. R. Sargent, Treasurer		225.00
Fines Collected and Sale of Paper		6.70
Bank Interest		1.70
	$	304.76

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

A. Marian Hatch, Librarian	$	80.00
Charles Stevens, care of lawns		5.00
Exeter & Hampton Electric Light Co.		12.00
Personal Book Shop, books		34.80
New England News Co., books		14.86
Mitchell Co., books		5.35
Sceva Speare Co., books		22.20
Jones Book Shop, books		4.90
Whelan Drug Store, books		3.00
Readers Digest, 2 years '44 and '45		5.00
National Geographic, 1944		3.50
Readers Digest, balance 1943		.25
Sargent Coal Co., wood		17.00
Mr. Blair, kindling wood		3.00
David Richards, throwing in wood		1.00
Murray Dugdale, grate for stove		3.50
Earl Oil Co., stove pipe		.50
Otis Rowell, work on stove and pipe		2.00
Library supplies		17.62
Richard Whittier, splitting wood		.50
David Richards, shoveling snow		.25
N. H. Library Association, dues		1.00
Check charges and postage		1.50
	$	238.73

Balance on Hand, Jan. 31, 1944		66.03
		$ 304.76
Merrimack National Bank	$ 49.34	
Cash on hand	16.69	
	$ 66.03	

Respectfully submitted,

E. BELLE BOYD,
Treasurer.

1943 REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Number of Books Added	
Adult fiction	82
Adult non-fiction	10
Juvenile fiction	12
Juvenile non-fiction	2
Total	106
By purchase	88
By gift	16
Total	106
Number of Books Loaned	
Adult fiction	1,964
Adult non-fiction	519
Juvenile fiction	275
Juvenile non-fiction	58
Total	2,816
Magazines loaned	524
Card holders	318

A. MARIAN HATCH,
Librarian.

Report of Health Officer

Cooperating with the camp owners at Silver Lake the Board of Health arranged for garbage disposal to alleviate any possible nuisance during the summer.

Infectious diseases and other reportable cases were: Measles, all types, 20; dog bites, 3; mumps, 3; scarlet fever, chicken pox and tuberculosis, one each. Nuisances, 3; milk sample analysis at call of State Board, 2.

HENRY L. BURBECK,
Health Officer.

Report of Relief Agent

Jan. 31, 1944.

Total of direct relief for year ending Jan. 31, 1944	$ 99.95
Total of Old Age Assistance for the year	2,007.40

ROBERT S. PRESCOTT,
Relief Agent for Newton.

Home Food Production

Patriotism, prudence, and protection of health combine to urge that in 1944 every family produce and preserve for home consumption as much of the family's yearly food supply as possible. Home food production will assure our own food supply, will release more foods for the armed forces and lend-lease, will help meet the national goals, and will relieve transportation, labor and equipment shortages.

To help families with their plans for food production and preservation at home, the University of New Hampshire Extension Service lists the following free bulletins for your use:

Hotbeds and Cold Frames	Ext. Circ. 214
The Home Vegetable Garden	Ext. Circ. 170
Vegetable Storage	Ext. Circ. 140
Tomatoes for Good Health	Ext. Circ. 220
Control of Insects and Diseases in the Home Garden	Ext. Circ. 253
Strawberry Culture	Ext. Circ. 211
Red Raspberry Culture	Ext. Circ. 103
Blackberries for New Hampshire	Ext. Circ. 104
Grape Growing in New Hampshire	Ext. Circ. 173
Improved Blueberries	Ext. Circ. 215
The Home Poultry Flock	Ext. Circ. 250
Home Canning Guide	Ext. Bull. 57
Appetizing Pickles and Relishes	Ext. Circ. 130
Canning of Fruits and Vegetables	Ext. Circ. 137
Canning of Meats	Ext. Circ. 175

List the titles of the bulletins which you would like on a penny post card and mail it to: Extension Service, Room 211, Thompson Hall, University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire.

MRS. ALICE C. FOLEY,
Town Chairman, Home Food Production.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of the

TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H.

School Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Newton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 11th day of March 1944, at 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district wishes to authorize the School Board to sell the Junction School Building.

10. To transact any further business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newton this twelfth day of February, 1944.

KENNETH BRIGGS,
LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

KENNETH BRIGGS,
LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
School Board.

School Board's Estimate for 1944-1945

School District of Newton.

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1944.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	‡Elementary Schools	
*Support of Schools		
Teachers' Salaries	$5,350.00	
Text Books	150.00	
Scholars' Supplies	175.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	15.00	
Other Expenses of Instruction	20.00	
Janitor Service	532.00	
Fuel	500.00	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	100.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	200.00	
Health Supervision (Med. Ins.)	182.00	
Transportation of Pupils	1,350.00	
Other Special Activities	20.00	
		$ 8,594.00

Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers (fixed by district)	$ 199.00	
Truant Officer and School Census (fixed by district)	35.00	
Payment of Tuition in High Schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)	4,000.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary (fixed by Supervisory Union)	202.00	

Per Capita Tax (reported by State Treasurer)	190.00	
Other Obligations	107.50	
		$ 4,733.50
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget		$ 13,327.50

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1944 (estimated)	$2,000.00	
State Aid (December 1944 Allotment)	2,900.00	
Dog Tax (Estimate)	150.00	
Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised By Taxation)		$ 5,050.00
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		$ 8,277.50

KENNETH BRIGGS,
LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
School Board.

Newton, N. H., Feb. 11, 1944.

*$3.50 per $1,000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law in addition to per capita tax and salaries of district officers.

‡$5 per $1,000 of equalized valuation must be raised for elementary schools to qualify for state aid.

Records of Meeting

Of the School District of the Town of Newton, N. H.
March 6, 1943

Agreeable to the warrant the meeting was called to order at 8:00 P. M., and the warrant was read by Henry L. Burbeck, Moderator.

Article 1. The motion was made and carried that Henry L. Burbeck act as Moderator for the ensuing year. He was qualified by William K. Davis, Justice of the Peace.

Article 2. The motion was made that a member of the School Board cast one ballot for Everett O. Kelly for Clerk for the ensuing year. He was duly elected and qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 3. The motion was made that Amanda C. Goodwin serve as member of School Board for three years. She was duly elected and qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 4. The motion was made and carried, that Otis Rowell act as treasurer of the School District. He was qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 5. The motion was made and carried that the salaries remain the same for the ensuing year.

Article 6. A motion was made and carried that all committee reports be accepted as printed in the Town Report.

Article 7. A motion was made and carried that a member of the School Board cast one vote for Everett O. Kelly and Kent Walker to act as Auditors for the ensuing

year. They were qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 8. The motion was made and carried to accept the estimated budget as printed in the Town Report.

Article 9. After some explaining by Kenneth Briggs in regard to installing Fire Escape Exits at the Rowe's Corner School, a motion was made, to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for that purpose.

Article 10. The motion was made and carried to pass over the article.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 without date.

Recorded truly,

EVERETT O. KELLY,
District Clerk.

Report of District Treasurer

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1943

Cash on hand June 30, 1942 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		$ 797.59
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	$ 10,148.03	
Balance of previous appropriations	753.60	
Dog Tax	169.20	
Income from trust funds	4.40	
Received from State Treasurer (State Aid)	2,884.41	
Received from all other sources	35.73	
		13,995.37
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)		$ 14,792.96
Less School Board Orders Paid		12,728.38
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1943 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		$ 2,064.58

OTIS R. ROWELL,
District Treasurer.

July 7, 1943.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newton, of which the

above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1943, and find them correct in all respects.

KENT WALKER,
EVERETT O. KELLY,
Auditors.

July 12, 1943.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Date	From Whom	Source	
1942			
July 16	Merrimac Nat'l Bank	Semi-Annual Dividend	$ 2.20
Sept. 25	Selectmen	Town	2,000.00
Oct. 25	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
Nov. 19	Selectmen	Town	2,000.00
Nov. 23	Amanda C. Goodwin	Refund—Personal Book	.90
Dec. 16	State Treasurer	State Aid	2,884.41
1943			
Jan. 26	Merrimac Nat'l Bank	Semi-Annual Dividend	2.20
Feb. 6	Selectmen	Town	6,070.83
Feb. 15	Amanda C. Goodwin	Refund—Lena M. Lloyd	29.52
Mar. 22	School Board	Refund—Hayden Cheney	1.00
June 9	School Board	Refund—Carl Fischer, Inc.	2.76
June 29	School Board	Refund—Haverhill Hdwe.	1.55
Total receipts during year			$13,995.37

Financial Report

Of the Newton School District for the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1942, and Ending June 30, 1943

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,
School Board.

WILLIAM J. NELSON, Superintendent.

July 7, 1943.

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid		
Equalization funds for elementary schools (from state)		$ 2,884.41
Income from Local Taxation (raised by selectmen)		
For the support of elementary schools	$3,353.38	
For the payment of high school and academy tuition	5,900.00	
For the salaries of district officers	169.00	
For the payment of per capita tax	238.00	
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	487.65	

Balance of previous appropriations (from selectmen)	753.60	
		$ 10,901.63
From Sources Other Than Taxation		
Dog Licenses	$ 169.20	
Income from local trust funds	4.40	
Other receipts	35.73	
		209.33
Total receipts from all sources		$ 13,995.37
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1942		797.59
Grand Total		$ 14,792.96

PAYMENTS—DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES

	Total Amount	General Expense	Support High School	Support Elem. Schools
ADMINISTRATION				
Salaries of district officers	$ 159.00	$ 159.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	171.89	171.89		
Truant officers and school census	35.00	35.00		
Expenses of administration	88.78	88.78		
INSTRUCTION				
Principals' and teachers' salaries	4.254,23			$4,254.23
Text books	118.81			118.81
Scholars' supplies	166.04			166.04
Flags and appurtenances	12.00			12.00
Other expenses of instruction	24.72			24.72
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT				
Janitor service	432.00			432.00
Fuel	453.28			453.28
Water, light, and janitors' supplies	57.29			57.29
Minor repairs and expenses	108.72			108.72

AUXILIARY AGENCIES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES				
Medical inspection, health supervision	181.44			181.44
Transportation of pupils	1,350.00			1,350.00
High school and academy tuition	4,580.61		$4,580.61	
Other special activities	14.60			14.60
FIXED CHARGES				
Tax for state wide supervision ($2 per capita)	238.00	238.00		
Insurance and other fixed charges	236.20	236.20		
OTHER CHARGES				
Victory Tax	45.77	45.77		
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	$12,728.38	$ 974.64	$4,580.61	$7,173.13
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1943)	2,064.58			
GRAND TOTAL	$14,792.96			

Detailed Expenditures July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Amanda C. Goodwin, School Board	$ 50.00	
Kenneth F. Briggs, School Board	40.00	
Lillian R. Webster, School Board	40,00	
Otis Rowell, Treasurer	25.00	
Henry L. Burbeck, Moderator	2.00	
Everett O. Kelly, Auditor	5.00	
Everett O. Kelly, Clerk	2.00	
Kent Walker, Auditor	5.00	
		$ 169.00
Superintendent's excess salary		171.89

SCHOOL CENSUS AND TRUANT OFFICER

Amanda C. Goodwin, school census	$ 25.00	
Earl Morse, truant officer	10.00	
		35.00

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Wm. K. Davis, treasurer's bond	$ 5.00	
Lena Lloyd, clerk's hire	41.50	
Amanda C. Goodwin, postage, telephone calls	6.94	
Alice Wilder, stamped envelopes	15.00	
Wm. J. Nelson, postage, telephone calls	10.34	
		78.78

PRINCIPALS' AND TEACHERS' SALARIES

Marion Kalashian	$1,100.00
Angelia Kelly	945.00
Loleta Palmer	970.00
Alice Knowles	995.00

Eva Thompson, music	250.00	
Ramona Meecham, substitute	5.00	
Caroline Canty, substitute	10.00	
Edna Boyd, substitute	25.00	
		4,300.00

TEXT BOOKS

The Personal Book Shop, Inc.	$ 1.80	
Chas. Scribner's Sons	1.86	
American Book Co.	1.48	
The John C. Winston Co.	21.80	
Allyn and Bacon	.81	
Ginn and Co.	25.03	
The Bobbs-Merrill Co.	3.09	
American Education Press	1.94	
Harcourt Brace & Co., Inc.	61.00	
		118.81

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

J. L. Hammett Co.	$ 16.82	
Edward E. Babb Co.	144.94	
Peever's	3.88	
William J. Nelson	.40	
		166.04

FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

Edward E. Babb Co.	$ 12.00	12.00

OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Webster Publishing Co.	$ 2.08	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	1.60	
World Book Co.	13.21	
Carl Fischer, Inc.	5.63	
Marion Kalashian	2.20	
		24.72

JANITOR SERVICE

Charles R. Stevens	$ 252.00	

Ira M. Downing	105.00	
Roland Quimby	75.00	
		432.00

FUEL

Hayden E. Cheney, coal	$ 380.28	
Geo. L. Cheney, wood	65.00	
Richard E. Sargent, pine limbs	5.00	
Kenneth F. Briggs, pine limbs	3.00	
		453.28

WATER, LIGHT AND JANITORS' SUPPLIES

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	$ 28.22	
Edward E. Babb Co.	28.00	
Marion Kalashian	1.07	
		57.29

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

Joseph C. Hoyt, trucking and installing desks and seats	$ 15.60	
Loren Merritt, cleaning toilets	1.00	
Ira M. Downing, material and repairs R. C. School	4.40	
Herbert Webster, labor and material	39.73	
Joseph C. Hoyt, labor and trucking	9.50	
Agelia E. Kelly, cleaning schools	13.00	
Edward E. Babb, green burlap	1.00	
Haverhill Hdwe. Co., boiled oil	1.55	
O. M. Bean & Son, repairs to boiler	4.35	
C. D. Currier, cleaning toilet, repair pump	9.50	
Otis Rowell, repairing ceiling	7.00	
Hayden E. Cheney, turpentine	.54	
Haverhill Hdwe. Co., boiled oil	1.55	
		108.72

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Mrs. Jessie Soule, R.N., school nurse	$ 181.44	181.44

TRANSPORTATION

Earl Morse	$1,350.00	1,350.00

HIGH SCHOOL AND ACADEMY TUITION

Sanborn Seminary	$3,065.61	
Haverhill High	945.00	
Amesbury High	570.00	
		4,580.61

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Haverhill Rubber Co. softball and bat	$ 2.35	
Lena Lloyd, 1/8 Newton's share flowers	1.00	
Haverhill Rubber Co., volley ball	5.25	
Rush-A-Service, programs	6.00	
		14.60

INSURANCE

Marston Agency, War Damage Corporation	$ 12.60	
Marston Agency, insurance R. C. School	60.00	
Marston Agency, insurance Village School	112.50	
Wm. K. Davis, insurance Jct. School	16.00	
Marston Agency, insurance R. C. School	22.50	
Marston Agency, War Damage Insurance	12.60	
		236.20

PER CAPITA

Per Capita	$ 238.00	238.00

Total Expenditures	$ 12,728.38
Cash on hand June 30, 1943	$ 2,064.58

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the School Board and Citizens of Newton:

I take pleasure in submitting my annual report as Superintendent of Schools. This report is concerned with the Newton Schools for the year July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943, and for the current year up to the present date. As usual I am including a Statistical table. This, together with the reports of the Supervisor of Music and the School Nurse, give much valuable information in regard to the daily life of our Schools.

It is a pleasure to report that there have been no changes in the teaching staff since my last report. We are very fortunate in retaining the services of experienced and competent teachers. Many schools are at times handicapped due to shortage of substitute teachers. Up to the present time this has not been a problem here.

On account of the extra duties placed both this year and last on all Superintendents of Schools by government requirements, there has not been time for the usual amount of class room supervision. I wish to express my appreciation and commendation to the teaching staff for their willing and painstaking efforts.

The enrollment for the year covered by this report was ninety-three, which was fourteen less than the previous year. The school attendance averaged 91.64 percent of the membership, as compared with the State Average of 92.94 percent.

There were eight graduates from the eighth grade last June. All but one of these have entered a High School this year.

Defense Stamps have been purchased by the children in all Schools. This has afforded a fine form of training in

thrift and character development and gives the children a feeling of having a part in the War Effort. The total stamps and bonds bought by the children in the elementary schools from January 1943 to January 1944 totals $1,135.35. This record is commendable both for the teachers and children.

Some transportation routes have been shortened by order of the Federal Office of Defense Transportation in order to conserve gas and tires. Because of this, some problems have been created, but have been solved, for the most part, by a spirit of cooperation and patience among all concerned.

The Otis Mental Tests have been given again in the fourth grade. With the assistance of the teachers we hope to be able to give a Standardized Achievement test before the end of the year to each pupil in grades two to eight inclusive. These tests serve as a check on the work done and furnish a picture of progress made during the year both by the individual and the class as a whole.

The fire escape exit at Rowe's Corner School, built last summer is working well. The double doors between the two rooms are a convenience and are used often at times other than fire drill.

Two hundred thousand teachers in the United States have left teaching since Pearl Harbor. Teachers' College enrollments have dropped 60 percent below 1940-1941. Fifty thousand emergency teaching certificates have been issued this year. Thirty out of every one hundred teachers in the country are paid less than $1,200.00 a year (about $23.00 per week) on a fifty-two week basis. Living costs have risen 26 percent since August 1939. Fairness dictates that teachers' salaries should have increased at least 25 percent over September 1939. The increases planned for next year would approximately do that.

During these difficult times we must resolve that in spite of the difficulties and the extra work that we find in the operation of our schools on account of the war, there

shall be no let down of effort. We must strive as never before, to play our part in the training of good American Citizens. We who are concerned with the daily operation of the schools wish to thank the School Board and Citizens for their loyal support.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. NELSON,
Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1943

	Boys	Girls	Total	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percent of Attendance	Total Tardinesses	Tardinesses per Pupil
Newton Village Grades 5-6	17	8	25	22.21	20.71	93.24	35	1.40
Newton Village Grades 7-8	11	9	20	17.77	16.48	92.74	35	1.75
Rowe's Corner Grades 1-2	10	15	25	23.07	20.51	88.09	15	.60
Rowe's Corner Grades 3-4	14	9	23	20.69	19.04	92.02	10	.43
Totals	52	41	93	83.74	76.74	91.64	95	1.02
State Average for 1942-1943						92.94		

Visits to schools by:

Superintendent	80
School Board Members	5
Citizens	73

Total registration	95
Registered elsewhere previously	2

Unrepeated registration:

Boys	52	
Girls	41	
	—	93

Average Attendance	73.74
Average Absence	7.00
Average Membership	83.74
Percent of Attendance	91.64
Not Absent or Tardy	4
Cases of Tardiness	95
Days that schools were in session	175

TEACHERS 1943-1944

Marion Kalashian	Village, Grades 7-8
Loleta M. Palmer	Village, Grades 5-6
Alice G. Knowles	Rowe's Corner, Grades 1-2
Angelia E. Kelly	Rowe's Corner, Grades 3-4
Jessie Soule, R.N.	Union School Nurse
Eva W. Thompson	Music Supervisor

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 55 SCHOOL CALENDAR

As Adopted by the School Board of Newton for 1943-1944

Schools open—September 8.
State Teachers' Convention.
Armistice Day (Schools closed)—November 11 (Thursday).
Thanksgiving Recess—November 25-28.
Schools open—November 29 (Monday).
Schools close—December 22 (Wednesday).

Winter Recess

Schools open—January 3 (Monday).
Schools close—February 18 (Friday).

Midwinter Recess

Schools open—February 28 (Monday).
Schools close—April 14 (Friday).

Spring Recess

Schools open—April 24 (Monday).
Memorial Day (Schools closed)—May 30 (Tuesday).
Schools close—Elementary schools close after 175 days of school.

Report of Supervisor of Music

To Mr. William J. Nelson, Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my annual report as Supervisor of Music in the Newton Schools.

Again, I have the pleasure of calling your attention to a year of progress in the Music Department. Today the teaching of music does not mean simply the development of the voice and the reading of notes; while these subjects are being carried on as successfully as ever much stress is laid upon the appreciation of music. The children of Newton are fortunate in having a fine electric victrola and new records to listen to. The equipment was bought from the proceeds of the musical play, "America the Beautiful," which was presented by the pupils two years ago.

In looking back over the year's work I find in every case cooperation and pleasant classroom associations. In conclusion, I want to express to you, the School Board and teachers my thanks for loyal support and continued interest.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA W. THOMPSON.

Annual Report of School Nurse

1942-1943

To Mr. Wm. J. Nelson, Superintendent of Schools:

Number of Pupils Examined			89
School Visits			77
Home Visits			38
Defective Teeth	45	Corrections	14
Defective Vision	15	Corrections	10
Diseased Tonsils	3	Cardiac Disease	1
Defective Speech	2		

CASES OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Chicken Pox	1
Scarlet Fever	2
Measles	1
Mumps	1

Had hoped to hold a dental clinic this year but was unable to get a dentist.

I wish to thank the Superintendent of Schools, school teachers, members of the School Board, and parents, who, by their kindly assistance helped to make the year a success.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE REBECCA SOULE, R.N.

Union No. 55,
Newton, Salem, Plaistow,
Hampstead, Atkinson.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1943

Date	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child	Living or Stillborn	Name of Father	Birthplace	Name of Mother	Birthplace
1942								
Oct. 28	Freda A. Clark	F	1	L	Harvey E. Clark	Derry, N. H.	Alice Cronin	Somerville, Mass.
1943								
May 9	Robert W. Carrier	M		L	Robert R. Carrier	Plessisville, Canada	Earline M. Nedeau	Exeter, N. H.
May 25	Richard B. Davis	M	1	L	Stillman A. Davis	Kingston, N. H.	Albina M. Giolito	Gonic, N. H.
Aug. 17	Gordon L. Reynolds	M		L	Lewis N. Reynolds	Haverhill, Mass.	Barbara G. Stevens	Newton, N. H.
Sept. 4	James M. Foye	M	2		John E. Foye	Lynnfield, Mass.	Christine Colby	Newton, N. H.
Sept. 22	Wilfred H. Parker	M		L	Edward H. Parker	Georgetown, Mass.	Louise C. Pierce	Plaistow, N. H.
Oct. 19	Dawn A. Parker	F		L	Robert C. Parker	Georgetown, Mass.	Robena G. Swett	Kingston, N. H.
Nov. 26	Cynthia J. Bertrand	F	1	L	Arthur N. Bertrand	Northampton, Mass.	Doris J. Cote	Cambridge, Mass.
Nov. 27	William A. Malvers	M		L	William A. Malvers	Greece	Helen Gilfus	Seneca Falls, N. Y.
Nov. 29	Sandra Marion Horne	F		L	Owen D. Horne	Haverhill, Mass.	Elsie Ruth Ingalls	Plaistow, N. H.
Dec. 9	David W. Winter	M		L	Floyd R. Winter	Haverhill, Mass.	Louise L. Grebenstein	Newton, N. H.

A true copy of records, Attest: WILLIAM K. DAVIS, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1943

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Age	Birthplace of Each	W D S	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
May 1	George W. Wicker	27	Kingston, N. H.	S	John Wicker Francizskia Cusciova	Rev. John A. McSweeney Catholic Priest Westville, N. H.
	Lillian G. Cowell	22	Brockton, Mass.	S	Sidney A. Cowell Ola M. Geilar	
Aug. 7	William H. Lydall	64	New Britain, Conn.	W	Charles A. Lydall Lucy Nichols	Noah E. Felse Clergyman Newton Jct., N. H.
	Marjorie M. Elms	43	Haverhill, Mass.	D	John V. Pelkay Josephine Wilson	
Aug. 30	Ronald L. Quimby	18	Newton, N. H.	S	Howard F. Quimby Mildred Lyon	Rev. Raymond G. Clapp Minister of the Gospel Kingston, N. H.
	Virginia S. Kimball	15	Newton Jct., N. H.	S	John G. Kimball Marjorie Burke	
Sept. 26	Wilton L. Osborne	23	Danville, N. H.	S	Herbert S. Osborne Grace B. Silloway	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead, N. H.
	Pauline D. Shaw	20	Newton, N. H.	D	Charles L. Gove Nellie M. Whittier	
Nov. 26	Charles W. Crummitt	29	Kingston, N. H.	S	William P. Crummitt Carrie George	Rev. Raymond G. Clapp Minister of the Gospel Kingston, N. H.
	Lillian V. Emerson	22	Plaistow, N. H.	S	Albert H. Emerson Laura Fowler	
Dec. 5	Herman A. La Vallee	32	Framingham, Mass.	D	Emelien La Vallee Florence Jones	Henry L. Burbeck Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Kathryn M. Flechtner	27	Medford, Mass.	D	Victor J. Le Sage Frances M. Foster	
Dec. 17	Arnold F. Ingalls	61	Newton, N. H.		George T. Ingalls Eliza A. Currier	Rev. C. Kenneth Mandigo Christian Minister Newton, N. H.
	Sarah O. Pressey	61	Newton, N. H.		John L. Pressey Alice L. Davis	

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DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1943

Date	Name of Deceased	Age Y	Age M	Age D	Birthplace	Sex	M W S	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Jan. 11	Lizzie R. Ingalls	70	3	28	Newton, N. H.	F	M	William A. Dunn	Julia Godkin
Jan. 15	Cora B. Bowley	81	0	16	Casco, Me.	F	W	James H. Jepson	Mary Walker
Mar. 6	Almon D. Currier	67	8	8	Newton, N. H.	M	M	Thomas A. Currier	Lydia A. Rhoope
Mar. 6	Ruby L. Currier	61	5	26	Essex, Mass.	F	M	Warren P. Mears	Nellie B. Knowlton
Mar. 15	Oscar T. Stevens	86	4	27	So. Hampton, N. H.	M	W	William Stevens	Taylor
Mar. 20	*Mary E. Kidder	85	0	24	Haverhill, Mass.	F	M	Samuel Hall	Rhoda Greenleaf
Mar. 19	Frank O. Bradley	72	7	13	Newton, N. H.	M	W	Benjamin F. Bradley	Carolyn A. Davis
April 1	Lillian E. Peaslee	72	8	20	New York, N. Y.	F	W	John E. Davis	
April 25	James H. Emery	77	11	3	Saco, Me.	M	M	Jonas Emery	Sarah Langley
May 11	Arletta C. Darbe	72	6	27	Gloucester, Mass.	F	M	Lucius Caviss	Belinda R. McIntire
Aug. 17	Mildred L. Quimby	49	7		Newton, N. H.	F	M	Ross W. Lyon	Maud Edney
Sept. 20	John A. Bridges	68	8	17	Newburyport, Mass.	M	M	John Bridges	Martha Davis
Sept. 24	Evelyn T. Evans	43	1	9	Newton, N. H.	F	S	Everett Evans	Carrie Dunn
Oct. 9	John W. Dole	61	7	7	So. Kingston, N. H.	M	S	Elias P. Dole	Hannah J. Towle
Oct. 26	John T. Murphy					M	M		
Nov. 23	*Fannie W. Hoyt	79	1	10		F	M		
Nov. 25	Ira O. Gray	90	2	8	No. Andover, Mass.	M	W	Benjamin O. Gray	Maria Woodbridge
Nov. 26	*Edward Kimball	69	9	16		M			
Dec. 6	Mary A. Minard	86	6	2	Kingston, N. H.	F	W	Rufus Goodwin	Sarah A. Marden
Dec. 22	Mary E. Severance	74	3	11	Portland, Me.	F	M	James E. Nason	Lucretia Smith
June 2	*Endora A. Kimball	84	2	5					
June 10	*Charles F. Hoyt	77	10	12					
July 8	*Charles H. Wentworth	71	11	29					

* Brought here for burial.

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